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**Art Group Unit: 1634**

Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

February 25, 2003

Dear Sir:

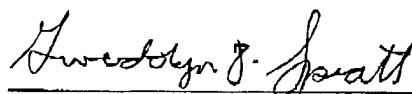
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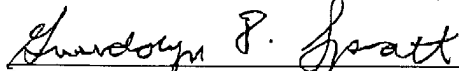


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